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Re: Patent Application Packet for Prunus Plant 'LC-52'

Dear Assistant Commissioner:

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- ✓ Fee Transmittal
- ✓ Plant Patent Application Declaration
- ✓ Declaration Plant Patent Application
- ✓ Statement Claiming Small Entity Status
- ✓ Plant Color Coding Sheet
- ✓ Two (2) copies of the specifications

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I have also enclosed a check in the amount of \$245.00 to cover the basic filing fee. If you have any questions I can be reached at (503) 435-2000 or by e-mail at shannon@meadow-lake.com.

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